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For this section—Unsettled today, probably light rain or snow; tomorrow fair; not much change in temperature.

High tide tomorrow; 6:59 a. m., 7:25 p. m.

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## ENVOYS SIGN FOUR POWER TREATY TODAY

### President May Submit Pact to Senate Tomorrow. Guarantee to U. S.

### WORK IS HASTENED

**Conference May Decide To Take Recess From New Year Until April, Says Report.**

The conference jammed ahead at top speed yesterday.

Completion was declared in sight by leaders. Certain details must be left to committees, but the big work will be done by New Year. It is sugested that there might be no final adjournment. After the big things are settled recess can be taken until probably next April when the conference can convene to clean up loose ends.

Rampant optimism grew in all delegations yesterday. The manner in which the United States Senate has received the four power treaty, has convinced delegations that any action will have the final sanction of the United States. They declare that success now means an economic congress can be looked for soon to complete the job of getting the world back on the straight road.

Developments yesterday were:

1. Announcement that the four-power treaty will be signed at 11 o'clock today in Secretary of State Hughes' office. It then will go to the President. He is expected to transmit to the Senate not later than Wednesday.

2. Official statement that the Yap issue has been disposed of in a treaty whereby Japan guarantees the rights of the United States in the island in the manner announced in The Herald some time ago.

3. Announcement that the naval subcommittee, made up of the chairmen of the American, British, French, Italian and Japanese delegations, has been increased to include another civilan member from each of the delegations, and one expert from each power. This will speed up the work. Authorities point out that there now has been combined responsibility and expert judgment.

4. Secretary Hughes Admiral Baron Kato and Mr. Balfour considered the naval ratio from the standpoint of Japan. Admiral Kato is understood to have explained that Japan would like to have the list of capital ships remaining in commission so revised that all three powers would get the benefit of their most modern craft. The three were jubilant on adjourning. They meet again today.

5. The "Big Three" had before them the suggestion that the proposed ten year naval holiday be amended so that certain vessels under consideration on November 11 may be built over that term of years. Any concession would be sufficient only to allow the holding together of the expert personnel of the various governments.

6. The committee on Pacific and Far East adopted a resolution to eliminate all foreign postoffices from Chinese territory by January 1, 1923, should China by that time have guaranteed that she will maintain within her borders for all powers "an efficient postal service," and will assure all governments that no change in the status of the foreign co-director general is to be made.

7. Former Premier Viviani, chief of the French delegation, announced that he will start back home tomorrow because of important personal business in Paris. He will leave the affairs of the French delegation to M. Surraut and Ambassador Jusserand.

Direct negotiations between the Japanese and the Chinese over Shantung made material progress. The manner in which the railway lines are to be acquired by China and how compensation is to be made to Japan was canvassed in a three-hour session. The Chinese delegation is understood to have informed the Japanese they are prepared to pay the price fixed by the economic advisers who compiled the treaty of Versailles in determining the worth of the property in territory wrested from Germany It also is understood the Chinese made it plain the money needed would be obtained from the consortium

9 Italian representatives declared that, so far as Italy is concerned, she is willing to accept any naval basis that is agreed upon for France

10 British spokesmen declared the Britsh delegation will continue to the very last its effort to have submarine warfare outlawed. They admitted that on this point, at least, Great Britain is playing a lone hand.

11 The committee on Far East listened to the Chinese position on spheres of influence in China, but postponed action until Wednesday.

Italy will press for a navy equal to that of France The spokesman of the delegation made this plain yesterday. He said Italy soon will have a merchant marine of greater strength than that of France and, this, together with her great coast line, is why she will insist that there be no discrimination between the two countries

## WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

*(From our Special Correspondent.)*

Washington, Dec. 13—"Gobby," the big, bronze turkey gobbler who came to the White House by airplane on the day before Thanksgiving is likely to grace the Presidential table on Christmas Day. And the policemen and attaches of the Executive Mansion who have become attached to the gobbler are dreading the approach of Christmas.

Because of his late arrival and because of the presence of four or five other choice birds in the White House herd at the time "Gobby" was given a respite by the Chief Executive but his chances of having this respite extended beyond Christmas are very remote. Since his arrival "Gobby" has had the run of a large section of the rear yard and has made friends with the various policemen and attaches. In fact, he has become a genuine pet. He follows the men around the yard and affectionately pecks at their hands and begs to be petted. Several times he has followed Mrs Harding in her strolls in the rear of the White House.

Representative William Cicero Hammer, of North Carolina is being groomed by his friends as the sucessor to the late Representative Hal D. Flood, of Virginia, as Chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee. While Mr. Hammer is not one of the oldest members of the House, he has wide experience in politics in his native state, is an aggressive fighter and is said to possess all the vigor and enthusiasm that will be required of the man who is to take the place made vacant by the death of the former Virginia political leader. In view of the fact that the Democrats are planning a most aggressive campaign for control of the next House of Representatives it is believed that a selection of a sucessor to Mr Flood will not long be delayed.

The fact that there has been some confusion as to extent of the jurisdiction of the four-power Pacific entente has led an American official to give explanation to what is meant in the treaty by "insular possessions" and "insular dominions" as mentioned in the treaty.

It is made plain at the outset that the main islands of the Japanese empire are not included in the agreement, for, obviously, they are neither insular possessions nor insular dominions, but the island of Formosa, which falls within the class, is included. Japan's other territory falling within the agreement are her mandated islands north of the equator with the exception of the island of Yap, which will be dealt with by a special treaty.

Although it was first proposed to except the Hawaiian Islands from the scoupe of the agreement so far as the United States is concerned, it was later decided to include them. The Philippines, Guam, Wake, Palmyra, the Aleutian Islands and other small possessions of the United States are also included.

Conditional Japanese acceptance of the Hughes 5-5-3 naval ratio has again focused attention of the Arms Conference on the prospect of a five-power agreement on the limitation of naval armaments which is confidently expected will be reached this week. It is stated officially that while Japan has accepted the plain in general, she has stipulated modifications that will make necessary a change in the Hughes plan that will cause it to be entirely rewritten. Japan desires, it is stated to retain the Mutsu at any cost and also desires an agreement with the United States in regard to Pacific fortifications.

If Japan retains the Mutsu, it will mean that she will have in the neighborhood of 330,000 tons of capital ships which will make it necessary for the United States to add approximately 50,000 tons of capital ships in the shape of two ships of the Colorado type which it had been planned to scrap under the Hughes arrangement. Also Great Britain will have to have two of the Hood type ships. A radical rearrangement in the ten-year naval holiday will also have to be made.

Isaac Gregg.

## Packers' Strike Spreads

New York, Dec. 13—Meat workers of New York, who walked out today in sympathy with Western strikers, violated their agreement which does not expire until May 16, plant managers declared.

The strike was confined to the "big five" packers and subsidiaries. Union officials said 6,000 had quit; employers admitted 3,000.

## Ohio Delegation Favors Compensation Act

The Ohio delegation in congress adopted a resolution yesterday, advocating passage of a soldiers' adjusting compensation act during this term.

Many members of the house in discussing the reclassification bill spoke for the soldiers' bonus. These remarks received considerable applause.

## YEGGS LOOT ST. ELMO P. O. AND GET $150

### Nitroglycerine Used to Blow Safe By Bold Robbers.

### REPORT TO P. O. D.

**Enter Store Through Back Window. $100 In Cash and $50 in U. S. Postage Stamps Taken.**

Burglars early this morning blew open the safe of the postoffice at St. Elmo, Arlington County, and robbed it of its contents which it is thought will be about $150 including cash and stamps.

The burglars used nitroglycerine to enter the safe. The robbery was discovered by W. T. Jones when the store was opened this morning. the postoffice being located in the general merchandise store of Jones and Company. The burglars did not take any merchandise or apparently made any effort to disturb the stock in the store.

A. F. Campbell, is postmaster, and he has notified the postoffice department of the robbery. Inspectors today visited the postoffice and are taking an inventory.

Postmaster Campbell stated today that the robbers obained about $100 in cash and $50 worth of stamps, one and two cent stamps. Entrance to the store in which the postoffice is locted was effected by breaking a window.

No one living in the neighborhood was aroused by the explosion so far as can be learned.

Exactly one year ago today the same postoffice was entered by burglars in identically the same manner and they escaped with $607.

Both robberies probably were the work of yeggs.

When the robbery was discovered today a report of the affair was made to the police department here and also the Washigton Postoffice Departments.

## CAPITATION TAX

Time for the payment of capitation taxes expired yesterday and the closing day was marked by busy scenes in the office of City Treasurer Thomas W. Robinson. There were many persons who waited till the last day before paying their taxes. Those who did not pay by closing yesterday will be unable to take part in the election which will be held June 6 when five councilmen at large will be elected who will serve the city under the city manager plan form of city government beginning September 1, 1922.

It is estimated that approximately 200 persons have paid their capitation taxes. This is an increase of several hundred over the number who paid last year.

## Police Court Notes

In the police court today, Mayor Duncan presiding, cases disposed of follow: A white man charged with abusive language towards another white man both parties fined $10 each; colored man arrested by Policeman Durrer for violating the speed law, fined $10; white man arrested by Policemen Miller and Lawrence Padgett, for being drunk on the street, forfeited $5 collateral.

## Yap Will Be "Dry"

Natives in the Pacific islands north of the equator are due for a long dry spell.

They'll have an Eighteenth amendment imposed on them, and they won't even have a chance to vote on it.

It's all because of the Yap treaty negotiated between Japan and the United States.

This treaty says: "The supply of intoxicating spirits and beverages to the natives shall be prohibited."

The clause is one of several as a result of which the United States assents to Japanese control of the islands.

## Autos Collide

Automobiles belonging to M. J. McFarland, driven by Frank Mc Fadden, and one driven by Dowell Mansfield collided at 8:30 o'clock this morning at the corner of Washington and Queen streets. The case was investigated today in the police court, both drivers being summoned by Chief Goods and Sergt Campbell and McFadden admitted the accident probably was his fault, he being blinded by the snow. The case was dismissed by Mayor Duncan it being understood that the owner of the colliding auto would repair Mr. Mansfield's machine.

## WASHINGTON TO HAVE A HUGE SPORT STADIUM

### Federation Formed to Encourage National Amateur Sports.

### TO COST $3,000,000

**Will Be Memorial To War Veterans. Each State To Be Asked To Contribute.**

Washington is practically assured a $3,000,000 athletic stadium—a national memorial to world war veterans—in which national amateur sporting events, including possibly the Olympic games, will be staged through organization last night of the National Athletic Federation, at a meeting in Wilson-Normal School.

The federation elected Julian S. Carr, national commander of the Confederate Veterans, president. In addition to erecting the huge stadium to foster amateur sports, the organizaiton aims to promote physical education, unify amateur athletics and direct championship events. It is an outgrowth of a desire expressed by Secretary of War Weeks for a national amateur athletic organization.

The proposed stadium which the federation hopes to erect in Potomac Park, will seat 100,000 people. The federation plans to raise $3,000,000 through a national campaign in which each State will be asked to subscribe.

Control is vested in a board of governors, including twenty men, fourteen to be elected by constituent organizations and six by the board

The fourteen members of the board elected last night include: President Julian S. Carr, retired North Carolina banker; First Vice President William F. Gude, Washington florist; Second Vice President; Herbert T. Shannon, Washington; realty dealer; Third Vice President; Hanford MacNider, national commander of the American Legion; Fourth Vice President D. J. Callahan, general manager of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company; Fifth Vice President Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes, director of District playgrounds; Secretary Benjamin Summerhays, Washington; Treasurer George W. White president of the National Metropolitan Bank; Finance Officer B. A. Bowles, cashier of the Potomac Savings Bank; Legal Counsel Alla G. Thurman, Washington attorney; Lieut. Col. Waite C. Johnson, director of army athletic activities; Mrs. James W. Wadsworth, Jr.; Rev. Father J. Carroll Moore, former army chaplan, and John E. Haas, vice chairman organization committee.

The organization committee included Willam F. Gude chairman; John E. Haas, Benjamin J. Summerhays, B. A. Bowles, Representative Israel M. Foster, Dr. Abram Simon, Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes, Rev. J. Carroll Moore William Knowles Cooper, Dr. Morris S. Shefferman, Ralph Sherline. Lieut. Col. Waite C. Johnson, R. J. Leimer, Lucy R. Swanton, C. H. Hites Charles H. Storms. Allen G. Thurman and Rudolph Rice. Last night's meeting was presided over by George H. Winslow, of the Railroad Y. M. C. A.

## Morse In Washington

Washington, Dec. 12.—Charles W. Morse, of New York, who was recalled from France by Attorney-General Daugherty in connection with an investigation of transactions with the Shipping Board, arrived here last night accompanied by his son, Irvin and his attorney, Milton J. Lambert. He refused to make any statement beyond saying that he was going to the home of his son here and retire early.

Mr. Lambert stated that he would discuss the case with District Attorney Gorden at the first opportunity today, and added that Mr. Morse would be at his office this morning to decide upon the course to be taken on his part in the case.

Department of Justice agents were at the station when Mr. Morse arrived but did not speak with him.

### Bible Thought for Today

HAVE FAITH IN GOD: —And Jesus said unto him, Go thy way; thy faith hath made thee whole. And immediately he received his sight, and followed Jesus in the way. —Mark 10:52.

## DIAMOND RINGS WORTH $3,000 ARE STOLEN

### Residence of Arthur Herbert In Rosemont Entered Sunday.

### THREE RINGS TAKEN

**Entrance Made With Key Through Back Door—Thief Also Takes Bottle of Cologne.**

Three rings valued at $3,000 were stolen last Sunday afternoon from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herbert, Walnut Street, Rosemont. A report of the robbery has been made to the police and every effort possible is being made to detect the thief.

The rings were stolen between 3 and 6 o'clock Sunday afternoon during the absence of the occupants. They were on a bureau in a bedroom on the second floor of the house in the room occupied by Mrs. Herbert.

Enterance to the house was made through a rear door, the burglar evidently using a duplicate key and when Mr. and Mrs. Herbert returned they found both the front and back doors were open, the thief evidently having left by the front door and in an extra haste failed to close the front door.

One of the rings in particular was an heirloom and highly prized for its association.

In addition to stealing the rings the thief also carried off a bottle of cologne. There were many other valuable things in the house at the time, however nothing but the rings was disturbed.

The rings are described as follows: One ring with two diamonds, Tiffany setting; one Topaz ring with two diamonds; one ring with three sapphires and diamonds.

A reward of $50 has been offered by Mr. Herbert for the recovery of the rings.

## Old Folks' Concert

**Interesting Program By Choir of St. Paul's Church Last Night**

A packed house heard and witnessed "Ye Old Folks Grande Concerte." by the choir of St. Paul's Church in the Parish Hall last evening, when one of the most enjoyable programs ever rendered in this community was presented. The chorus work, as befits St. Paul's choir, was exceptionally fine, and the solo numbers were no less enjoyed. The attractive programs written in old English were in keeping with the rest and the costumes were pronounced in terms no less than gorgeous. Some of the members searching the trunks of a great grandmother or aunt, to add to their charm.

Sampson Strongbow in the person of Mr. Merrill Beagle, played with skill on the violin a variation on "Ye Mocking Brd.." Miss Vera Germond as Miss Naomi Screamwell, sang sweetly with refrain by the chorus. Perhaps two of the greatest hits of the evening were Mr. A. J. Rhodes as Barnabas Elikim von Zundell, and "Ye Courtin" sung and acted by Mrs. Kenneth Ogden and Lieut. Guilmette. Mr. Rhodes is always an entertainment by himself and last night proved no exception. Mrs. Ogden proved to be a winsome coquette and Lieut. Guilmette helped her ably in making the scene a very entertaining one indeed.

Solos by Mrs. Sharman B. Fowler and Mr. Stephen Field were beautifully rendered and demanded a very attentive audience. Miss Mary Nalls sang sweetly, "Cousin Jedediah" and Mr. Wilmer J. Waller sang with his usual ability. Mrs. Harry White in "Ye Last Rose of Summer" brought out the unusual qualities of her high lyric soprano which is always such a pleasure to her audience.

Mrs. Emily Marsh's renditon of "When You And I Were Young Maggie" was a beautiful and pleasing one. Miss Lucy Graves also sang in a most delightful manner, her singing being always a great pleasure to hear. Mrs. Nicholas Trapnell added greatly to the octette with the other soloists above mentioned in "A Bowl of Roses."

In fact those who missed last night's concert missed an evening of unique entertainment such as has not been witnessed since the last concert of this kind, which were discontinued by the choir at the outbreak of the war.

Much credit for the success of the affair however goes to Mr. Sherman B. Fowler whose ability as a director is evidenced by the results he obtains.

Alexandria High School and the Old Dominion Boat Club basket ball teams will play tonight in the Armory Hall. These teams have not been practicing long but are, according to the coaches, in the best of shape and a fast and interesting game is anticipated.

## ORRIS IMPROVING

**Victim of Automobile Crash Will Recover.**

Louis Orris, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident Sunday and who gave his address as Philadelphia, will recover from his injuries, it was stated at the Alexandria Hospital today.

Orris, however, is paralyzed from the waist down, it is stated. Dr. S. B. Moore, the attending physician, states he will not operate on Orris for the present.

The man giving the name of Walter Shapiro, claiming Baltimore as his home, who had his leg injured, and was with Orris in the car, was yesterday taken from the hospital to police headquarters where he is now being held.

Both men were in a big touring car which was chased by the police, that overturned Sunday and which the police declare contained a large quantity of corn whiskey put up in fruit jars.

## City Council Tonight

**Both Branches May Adjourn Out of Respect to Memory of J. T. Harrison**

It is expected that both branches of city council tonight will adjourn out of respect to the memory of Alderman John T. Harrison, who died yesterday. Mr. Harrison at the time of his death was a member of the board of aldermen and for several years was a member of the common council. Only urgent business will be disposed of tonight it is expected

Council in all probability will adjourn over tonight for the Christmas holidays and meet again the second Tuesday in January.

## Educators Coming Thursday

On Thursday evening, December 15, at the Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Harris Hart, superintendent of public instruction of the state of Virginia, and Prof. Charles G. Maphis, professor of secondary education and dean of the summer school of the University of Virginia, will deliver addresses on current educational topics. Superintendent Hart will discuss "School Laws to be introduced at the meeting of the legislature in January." Professor Maphis, who has made a special study of compulsory attendance laws, will talk on "Essential Provisions of an Effective Compulsory Attendance Law in Virginia."

The meeting, which will begin at 8 p. m., is open to the public and all citizens interested in the kind of school legislation we get are urged to be present. All organizations interested in public education are requested to have present a representation of at least five members and as many more as can attend.

Mrs. George Pickett will give two musical selections. The newly organized orchestra of the High School will render a selection of lighter strain and the Glee Club of the High School will make its first public appearance.

## Three Small Fires

The Fire Department responded to three alarms yesterday afternoon. At 3:25 o'clock to a fire at 708 Pendleton Street. An oil stove was the cause of the alarm, which was answered by all three companies. At 5:25, No. 1 and No. 5, answered an alarm from Braddock. This was a chimney fire and was quickly subdued. At 7:10 No. 1 and No. 5 again responded to an alarm from 2509 Duke Street extended. This was a chimney and roof fire and was subdued with the use of chemicals. Very slight loss caused by any of these fires.

## Send Your Christmas Packages Early

Local express forces are making special preparations for the handling of the Christmas traffic, according to a statement made today by Mr. W. H. Selden, agent in charge of the city express offices.

"We wish to emphasize the importance of shipping holiday gift packages early," said Mr. Selden today. "This would avoid congestion with the regular traffic and insure their arrival on time. Our most important task in handling holiday shipments is to deliver them before Christmas Day."

The express agent declared that the carriers ask the public to ship their Christmas gifts in "perfect packages, so that the shipments may be safely and quickly delivered.

He points out that it is advisable for holiday shippers to take special care in the packing and marking of their gift shipments. He urges plain legible addresses directly on shipments, if possible, and with "all old marks erased."

Christmas gifts in boxes or cartons should be so re-inforced with packing material as to avoid shifting of contents in transit. It is advisable to place the name and address of the shipper inside of the package.

This "inside information" often leads to the recovery of a misdirected or miscarried shipment, or one from which the address has been lost in transit.

The express company is distributing Christmas labels for gift shipments carrying the words "Not to be Opened until Christmas," which can be obtained at local express offices.

## XMAS SUPPLY OF BOOTLEG IS MENACED

### Activity of Federal Prohibition Agents and Police Cause.

### SUPPLY SOURCE HIT

**Nine Stills Captured and Nearly 3,000 Gallons of Mash Destroyed. Hard Blow To Distillers.**

The source of supply of the bootleg liquor being furnished Alexandria is being rapidly shot to pieces as a result of the activity of federal prohibition agents assisted by the local police. As a result it is said bootleggers are threatened with a dull Christmas business and according to well founded reports the bootleggers propose putting up the price of corn liquor if the raids are continued. The federal agents have invaded the territory both north and south of Alexandria. Their aim has been to first kill the source of supply and this naturally put the bootlegger out of commission.

During the past week alone the agents here aided by the police have captured about nine stills and destroyed in the neighborhood of 3,000 gallons of mash and also captured a small quantity of corn whisky at the various places they have raided.

In addition several weeks ago the federal authorities made a big haul in Arlington county, north of Alexandria and destroyed about 20,000 gallons of mash and captured many stills.

With the increased activity of the federal agents of the bootleggers are at their wits ends for a supply of quick stock, as already it is reported some are experiencing difficulty in obtaining the necessary supply.

The raids have been conducted mainly in Fairfax county several miles south of Alexandria and the work has been under the direction of L. J. Hudgins, deputy collector of internal revenue, S. W. Davis Thos. D. Durratt, assisted by Policemen Magner and Durrer.

In addition to these raids the police here during the month of November captured a number of stills in the city and also destroyed several hundred gallons of mash.

## Honor Roll of High School

The following pupils have made an average of 90 or above in all subjects for six weeks ending December 2, 1921.

First year—First six weeks 10 per cent.; second, six weeks 15 5-8 per cent. Going up.

Audrey Allen*, Marian Knight*, Jack Sullivan*, Harriett Taylor, Elinor Whitton, Virginia Callahan, Thelma Bender*, Katherine Ervin, James Houston*, John Pierpont*, Gans Gwendolyn, Margaret Garvey, Esther Moore*, Mary Martin, Katherine Leadbeater*, Virginia Dare*, Sarah Dettor, McIver Jackson, Thelma Olinger*, Lucile Powell, Melvin Whitestone, James Woodruff, Margaret Woodruff.

Second year—First six weeks 7 1-8 per cent.; second six weeks 30 per cent. Going up.

Reynolds Williams, Cecelia Shapiro*, Marie Creel*, Elizabeth Bigbers, Lewis Bayne, Marion Pohl, Helen Houston*, Paul Ortiz, Claude Ballenger, Gladys Darling*, Lewis Hulfish, Milton Grigg, Dallas Peyton, Jack Reeves, Wallace Schreiner, Robert Whitton*, Virginia Bladen*, Dorothy Broaders, Ruth Cook, Evelyn Gaines, Ola Kilby, Marie St Clair*, Margaret Underwood, Helen Cannon*, Charles Shepperson, Florence Geishin, Sarah Nicklin, Dorothy Haycock.

Third year—First six weeks 22 1-2 per cent.; second six weeks 18 7-10 per cent., going down.

Louise Finke, John Fowler*, Doris Gaines*. Elizabeth Jester*, Louise Thomas*, Howard Baggett*, William Brenner*, Rose Levinson.

Fourth year—First six weeks 19 1-3 per cent.; second six weeks 24 3-4 per cent. Going up.

Eliza Crump*, Marian Dienelt, Miriam Hockman*, Eugene Jackson*, Joseph Kaufman, Walter Nalls, Dorothy Pierpont, Fannie Rosenberg, Marshal Travers.

Commercial—First six weeks 10 1-10 per cent.; second six weeks 20 3-5 per cent., going up.

Eunice Ayers, Annie Knight, Thelma Lunsford, Marion Lyles*, Isabel Noble*, Effie Wilkinson*.

Pupils marked with asterisk have been on honor roll for both six weeks.

## Price Reduction

The Pathe Phonograph Company has brought the price of high-grade machines to a new low level. Watch Wednesday's Gazette for new prices. Call at Michelbach's and inspect the machines.

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## EDITORIAL COMMENT

### Dr. John Lee Allison

We note with deep regret that Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, announced from his pulpit on Sunday, after delivering his tenth anniversary sermon that he would relinquish his pastoral work next April. Dr. Allison has been a remarkable factor in the upbuilding of Alexandria's moral growth for years past, and the city can ill afford to lose him. By both word and work he has been a spiritual illumination among us. The absolute sincerity of his character, the broad foundation of his Christianity, the kindly helpfulness of his nature, have eloquently exemplified the teachings of his Master, whose servant he has ever been. His absence will indeed be keenly and sorrowfully felt. That success may attend him in his new duties will be the earnest wish of every Alexandrian, of whatever creed or religious affiliation.

### The Fiction of Royalty

It is to be noted that in one of the clauses of the Anglo-Irish treaty, the Irish pledge themselves to be "faithful to the King." The Irish delegates to the conference had persistently refused to swear allegiance to the British Government.—It will not be long in our opinion, before the fiction of royalty in England is done away with, and the "commonwealth of nations," as Lloyd George calls it, will be a republic in name as it is now in fact. Great Britain no longer rules her colonies, and they are practically as free as are our States. By the time that the feudal shell of hereditary royalty and aristocracy has completely crumbled to decay, the commonwealth of Ireland will probably be as firmly wedded to her sisters as Virginia now is to Texas or Oregon.

### Book-keeping for Boozers

Analytical chemists have been analyzing samples of the stuff sold as whiskey all over the United States. They find that it contains certain chemical elements that drive the oxygen from the blood, and thus cause a slow suffocation that is almost sure to cause death within five years, if the drinking is kept up.

The victims of the bootlegger may evade the laws of Uncle Sam for a time—but they can't evade the laws of nature. Every time they take a drink it amounts, in reality, to trading off so many hours or days or weeks of life in exchange. If they only kept books of their transactions in liquor-guzzling, and entered the proper debit and credit each time they took a drink, we believe the bootleggers would soon be driven to earn an honest living. For instance, they might debit themselves one drink and credit death one hour; the price would increase, however, and at the fiftieth drink they would have to credit death, say, one week. If they were at a loss as to the proper price to pay the Grim Reaper, any competent physician could soon make the calculation. Why not keep books for boozing? Any business man will tell you that he couldn't run his business without book-keeping; and that is only a question of making or losing money. But certainly human life is not to be valued in dollars and cents.

### Mail for Santa Claus

The Gazette's mail for Santa Claus is increasing each day. We wish to assure our little friends that it is a pleasure to us to forward their letters, and we are sure the good Saint receives them with equal pleasure. If Santa Claus's letter-carriers will only make prompt delivery so he will have time to make up the packages before Xmas, we are sure this will be one of the Merriest Christmases ever held in Alexandria. We believe many of our readers will be glad to enlist in his service, if need be, and suggest that they read the letters daily and consider how they may add to a child's happiness this Christmas of a year that seems to be more devoted than ever before to peace on earth and good will to men.

### Nation's Wild-Life Resources Increases While Liabilities Decline

Washington, D. C., Dec. 13.—The Government's accounting to the American people of its stewardship of their wild animals and birds during the past fiscal year, as exercised through the Bureau of Biological Survey, United States Department of Agriculture, is contained in the bureau's annual report, made public today.

In its supervision over the wild life resources and liabilities of the Nation, the Government deals with those birds and animals of distinct value to agriculture, commerce, and industry as well as with those injurious species whose natural habits in years have cost the country many hundreds of millions of dollars. On the asset side of the balance sheet the total mounts; and the liabilities, thanks to the increasing efficiency and thoroughness of the Government's supervision, are shrinking. Sketched in high lights and dealing only with major facts and totals, the bureau's work during the past year shows among other things the following results:

A saving to farmers and stockmen of about $14 000,000 during the year at a cost of $1,345,220—in the campaign west of the Mississippi against wolves, lynxes and bobcats, coyotes, mountain lions, bears and rodents.

Destruction by rifle, trap and poison of approximately 50,000 of the predatory animals.

Continuation, with marked success, of the work begun 5 years ago of ridding the ranges—and thereby making them safe for grazing—of predatory animals.

Saves $11,000,000 Annually

An unrelenting campaign against prairie rogs and ground squirrels, during which 18 331,861 acres of Federal, State, and private lands were given a first poison treatment and follow-up work was done on 4,402,662 acres. One hundred thousand farmers and stockmen took part in the work; 1,235 tons of poison grain were prepared and distributed under the bureau's supervision; and an annual saving of more than $11,000,000 is estimated to have been effected through this phase of the bureau's work alone.

Wholesale destruction in Idaho Oregon, Washington, Nevada, Utah, and Arizona of jack rabbits whose foraging annually damaged alfalfa, cotton, hay, and other crops to the extent of millions of dolars. In one Idaho county alone 68,166 jack rabbits (actual count) were killed, and in other counties as many as 50,000 jack rabbits were disposed of in organized drives.

The beginning of active and intensive campaigns aganist meadow mice and pine mice whose depredations in orchards, gardens, and truck farms, annually mount into the millions.

Destruction in one campaign alone (in Texas) of 670,000 rats by actual count, and continuation of the Nation-Wide campagn against this most destructive and ubiquitous of rodents.

Protection of valuable fur-bearing animals, encouragement of their importation, and study of best methods for successfully raising them. The rearing of silver, black, and cross foxes alone has grown to the extent that during the past year there were 340 fox ranches in his country having 4,350 breeding adimals with stock and equipment valued at more than $4,280 000.

Its investigations have resulted also in protection for the great army of birds which are of inestimable aid to the farmer; checking, so far as possible, the depredations of the few feathered marauders which damage orchards and crops.

Continued and painstaking study of the habits of various kinds of birds that the valuable ones might more intelligently and definitely be determined.

Survey of the feeding grounds of migratory wild fowl and recommending measures for improving them.

Bird Migration Studies Continued

In a continuation of the Nation-wide investigaton on bird migration, the information of the survey covering habits, distribution, and migration of birds has ncreased and become very valuable.

Further study has been made of such injurious rodents as ground squirrels, pocket gophers, rabbits, kangaroo rats, and pocket mice in order that more effective means against their depredations might be found and made available for use by American farmers.

Under the protecting care of the bureau big game on Government reservations has multipled fast. The animal census shows 508 Buffalo on such reservations now, as compared with 267 five years ago; 504 elk, as compared with 159; 92 antelope, as compared with 40, and so on.

Care of the birds progressed materially the year through posting and defining of many of the bird refuges, the planting of grain to provide food and cover establishment of new reservations, provision of additional warden service at certain reservations, and increased number of patrol boats.

Bird Treaty Act, which prohibits the shooting of migratory birds on their flight north in the spring and contains restrictions as to the manner in which they may be hunted during the open seasons, and of the Lacey Act, which regulates interstate shipments of wild animals and game, resulted in the apprehension of nearly 1 000 alleged violators of the Federal game laws and the securing of more than 500 convictions, in which fines were assessed ranging from $1 to $500 each.

Numerous seizures of migratory game birds illegally killed or possessed, the birds being disposed of by the bureau with the consent of the accused by gift to hospitals or charitable institutions for use as food, and seizures of contraband plumes and mounted specimens of migratory birds of an estimated value of $5,000.

A notable increase among the migratory game birds is attributable almost solely to the limitation of spring shooting the nonsale of migratory game birds, and the establishment of a uniform bag limit, the three fundamental restrictions made possible by Migratory Bird Treaty Act according to the report.

Permits were issued for the importation from foreign countries of 12,8052 birds and 5,368 animals, the latter including 1,574 black or silver foxes from Canada.

The foregoing states in bare outline some of the bureau's activities within the United States. In Alaska the bureau assumed, under the department, jurisdiction over all land fur-bearing animals, continued its investigation as to their habits and best methods for their protection and enforced the laws prohibiting or restricting the killing of such animals. One of the chief items of interest in connection with the bureau's work in Alaska was its study of the reindeer industry in the territory, with a view to establishing a on a sound basis, by improving the health and a general condition of the herds.

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## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Harrington announce the arrival of a fine son, born Friday, December 9.

The Retail Credit Men's Association of the Chamber of Commerce will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Bannon Cooper are the guests of Mrs. William N. Smith, in Rosemont, with whom they will remain until after the New Year.

The regular communication of Oriental Lodge, No. 6, Knights of Pythias, will be held tonight and the Rank of Page will be conferred upon a class of prominent citizens.

A largely attended smoker was held last night in the Elks Hall immediately following the business session of the Lodge.

A very important meeting of Alexandria Council Royal Arcanum will be held tonight in Pythian Temple. It is hoped that all members will be present.

It has been announced that the public schools of this city will close on December 23, for the Christmas Holidays.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce is being held in the Chamber's room this afternoon.

Liberty Rebekah Lodge will meet tonight at Odd Fellows Hall in North Columbus street at 8 o'clock. The Noble Grand requests that all members be present at this meeting.

Mrs. Irene Nagel Pettey has sold to Hugh F. Loving house and lot 1110 King street. A deed of conveyance today was placed on record in the office of the clerk of the court.

The regular weekly meeting of Sarepta Lodge, No. 38 I. O. O. F., will be held tomorrow night in Odd Fellows Hall North Columbus street. All visiting Odd Fellows are invited to attend.

The many friends of Mrs. Mary Gragg will be glad to learn that she has returned to her home in Commerce Street, after undergoing an operation at the Alexandria Hospital several weeks ago.

The Executive Board of the League of Women Voters will hold a very important meeting at 3:30 p. m., Thursday afternoon December 15, at the Chamber of Commerce. It is earnestly desired that a full attendance will be had as the winter's activities will be decided upon at this meeting.

The Orchestral division of the Alexandria High School Glee Club, under the direction of C. Vozeolas, entertained the student body this morning at the regular weekly assembly. This is the first time in the history of the local High School that an orchestra has been organized and the performance this morning reflects credit upon its members and upon its able leader.

John Mont, colored, living at 427 South Columbus street, in attempting to lower a window shade in his home last night about 8 o'clock, slipped from the chair on which he was standing and in attempting to catch himself ran his hand through the window pane and suffered bad cuts. He was carried to the Alexandria Hospital where Dr. M. D. Delaney dressed his wounds.

A new way of contracting ailments was brought to light in one of the school rooms the other day. A little girl, who, returning to school after several day's absence, was asked why she had been absent from school. Her answer was "I have a high blood pressure which the Doctor says I inherited from my stepgrandmother. He said that he examined her to see what was the matter with her and found that she did not have no brains."

## SPORTS

If your evenings are dull and you are fond of sports, you are the loser for not witnessing the basketball games at Armory hall. Every evening this week interesting games are to be played and the following is the schedule:

Tuesday—Old Mominion Boat Club vs. Alexandria High School. George Mason High School vs. Fredericksburg.

Wednesday—Crystal Athletic Club vs. Park View A. C.; Virginia Orioles vs. Sixty-fourth Infantry.

Thursday—Friends Athletic Club vs. Lee High School; Alexandria Light Infantry vs. Bliss Electrical School.

Friday—Crystal Athletic Club vs. Washington Athletic Club.

Saturday—George Mason High School vs. Manassas High School; A. L. I. vs. Roamer Athletic Club.

Last night the A. L. I. team sent the fast Quincy Quint home a defeated lot by the score of 45 to 19. The local team is one of the best that has ever represented Alexandria and is composed of the finest talent of this section.

Tonight the Alexandria High School opposes the Old Dominion Boat Club in what promises to be the hardest fought game the school boys will have this season. Both teams expect to win so if you want to have fun and be with the crowd do not fail to witness this exhibition.

Thursday the local soldier team, the Alexandria Light Infantry meets an old time opponent in the quint from the Bliss Electrical School of Washington, as they have tried for four consecutive seasons for Virginia honors. On each occasion they have put up a creditable showing and once they lost by only one point, so this is predicted to be a regular old time Alexandria battle brim-full of pep.

Saturday night the Roamer Athletic Club of Washington who defeated the Dreadnaught reserves in football last Sunday will come down. This is to be one of the biggest games of the season and a bunch of exciting thrills are in store for you if you come to the game. Each night during the week a senior game is to be played and each is preceeded by a preliminary game played by various girl clubs from Alexandria and its suburbs.

Armory hall is comfortably arranged and there is room for all, you are welcome, so be on hand any evening this week at 7:30 p. m. Its a sport you will like and a game the ladies will appreciate seeing.

## Crystals vs. Virginias

The Crystal A. C.'s battled the Virginia A. C.'s to a draw Sunday on Baggett's field before a large crowd. It was the fastest game seen here this season. The Crystals scoring their touchdown in the first quarter when Snellings caught a forward pass, running forty yards, marched the ball up to the five yard line. Otis carried it over Snellings scoring the extra point. In the third quarter the Virginia's quarterback, Nowland caught a forward pass when running 15 yards for a touchdown. Poss scored the extra point. The Crystals showed plenty of speed with a number of trick plays. The game was fast played from whistle to whistle. The Crystals had two misfortunes, one coming in the third quarter when Right End Snellings sustained a sprained arm and Center Whitestone sustained a sprained wrist. Both were taken out of the game being both badly missed in line. Snellings and Cockrell were the shining stars for the Crystals, both played a snappy game.

## Educators to Address Colored Citizens

State Superintendent of Public Education Harris Hart, of Richmond, and Prof. Charles G. Maphis, of the University of Virginia, will address the colored citizens at the auditorium of the colored school on the same evening that they will address the white citizens at the Chamber of Commerce, the two speakers alternating at these places. Both meetings will begin at 8 p. m., Thursday, December 15.

### IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear sister, BARBARA C. VAUGHN, who departed this life three years ago today, December 13, 1918.

Three years have passed,
Since we laid her to rest not far away,
But the time, the place the hour,
Seems to us only yesterday.
How well we remember the pain she bore,
With a spirit ever bright,
And today it seems we can hear her yet,
As we listen in the night.
But her sufferings are o'er her voice is stilled,
From the loved ones here below,
Yet we glory in the thought
Of the joy she may know.
We miss her, yes we miss her,
In the days that come and go,
Her heart was pure, her life was young,
Yet not our will, but God's be done.

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MARSHAL FOCH, the Allied Generalissimo now touring the South and West as the guest of the American Legion, is on the second leg of a triumphal trip through the greatest series of ovations ever tendered a visiting foreigner. When he arrived here he was seventy years old, his face seamed with the strain of four and a half years of the bitterest warfare. During his travels he has dropped the burden of years so that now he is traveling with the buoyancy of a man of forty.

"Do you find American hospitality more arduous than the German offensive?" he was asked just before starting his new itinerary by Alton T. Roberts, who as chairman of the Legion's Reception Committee has the added duty of safeguarding the marshal's health.

"It is so exhilarating to find such a wholesomeness of spirit," he answered, "that I believe I have found here the fountain of youth. One has no time to grow old in your young country."

"Will this tour fatigue you too severely?" solicitously asked Franklin D'Olier, Past Commander of the American Legion, who is in the touring party.

"After the strain of the war there can never again be any such thing as fatigue for me," he replied.

Hanford MacNider, the Commander of the American Legion, who has a statistical mind, has made a summary of the outstanding features of the whole tour.

Before the Marshal returns to France he will have covered an approximate mileage of 17,000 miles, which with the travel to and from Paris will bring the total to 25,000 miles—equal to the earth's circumference. His auto tours will comprise about 5,000 more miles.

He will have participated in 150 banquets and have been a guest at 1,200 public meetings.

Four millions of the American people will have seen him face to face and he will have shaken the hands of at least 50,000 of these. His right and left hands now are stiff and sore from these cordial contacts. Furthermore, he will have bestowed his kiss upon 4,000 children—for the Marshal never overlooks the opportunity to greet the little ones.

Up to the time he began his new swing he had received fourteen degrees from various colleges and universities so that before he returns he will carry with him the honors of at least thirty educational institutions.

More than 2,000 gifts have been presented to him. These range from the wildcat presented by the Montana members of the American Legion to the gold sword presented to him by the City of Philadelphia.


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Dear Santa Claus:—
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Henry S. Florence,
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Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a little girl seven years old and in the second grade at school. Mother says I have been a very good girl, and if you don't think I am asking too much of you I wish you would bring me the following things: A sewing machine, big doll carriage, a big baby, a pair of ball-bearing roller skates. Please do not forget my other little sisters and brothers. Your little friend.

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Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a good boy and I go to school, so please bring me a machine, gun, tool box, or raincoat boots and an overcoat. I hope I am not asking too much of you. Don't forget Mother and Daddy. From your little friend Melvin McKenney, 212 South Lee street.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a good boy, so please bring me a machine gun, story books, a suit of clothes and shoes. Please don't forget to stop at my house. Put plenty of candy in my stockings.

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Dear Santa Claus:—
Christmas is almost here, and I will be glad when Christmas morning comes. Santa, please bring me a cradle doll baby, set of dishes, and a pretty story book, and please don't forget my little brother, Stephen and sister Norma.

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### DIAMOND BEDECKED HOLD-UP MAN GETS $5 0000 IN GEMS

New York, Dec. 13.—Smarty apparelled, with diamonds sparkling on his fingers and shirt front, a man who priced $3,000 worth of jewelry at the Broadway shop of Michael Johnnides last Saturday, returned today, pointed a revolver at the jeweler and fled with $5,000 in gems.

## Parent-Teachers Meet

### Miss Cummings And Mrs. Lockwood Address The Gathering on Interesting Subjects

The Parent-Teachers' Association held a most interesting meeting in the Lee School building on Friday afternoon. Many very interesting talks were heard from the members. The association has shown a marked awakening in the past few months, and will, if present plans are carried out, do much for the betterment of the school system in this city.

Miss Helen N. Cummings, director of the Federated Clubs of Virginia, addressed the meeting and said in substance. If educators fail to deliberately exercise the child in habitual moral conduct, they fail altogether. Failure in character formation means total failure. It is not necessary to the welfare of a community that a child be able to bound Afghanstan or locate Thibet, but it vitally affects a community if a child is not trained in the fundamentals of right conduct. A child that is not merely taught obedience, truth, honesty, but is taught to exercise those virtues five hours, five days of the week under the guidance of a teacher.

The greatest value of the playground is where under a skillful supervisor not merely the physical well being of the child is developed, but where every moment the child is taught that sport demands fairness, truthfulness and the cooperation of team work, where the good of the individual is submerged in the good of the whole.

Habits of obedience, trustworthiness and honesty can be steadily formed. Character is not instructive, it is not inherited, it is obtained by practice. Good character adds to the sum of human happiness and the success of the commonwealth.

Following Miss Cumming's talk, Mrs. Henry Lockwood, of Clarendon, state president of Federated Clubs, and recently appointed on the executive committee of the state board of education, spoke on the woman's interest in the bill for a more effective law to govern compulsory education in the state. This bill she explained will be presented to the legislature at its next session.

In addition to other business taken up at this meeting, it was decided that a large auditorium should be provided in the proposed new school building. It was stated that the need for this was made clear in the statement that in the four schools in the city there is but one auditorium, that in the High School building. The High School auditorium has a maximum seating capacity of only about 350 persons. The Parent-Teachers' Association has taken hold of this proposition and hope to be able to make the public see the need of a gathering place where the students of the various schools may gather to hear educational lectures and where they will not be crowded and jammed together. The urgent need of an ample auditorium was shown when the students of Washington and Lee Schools gathered with their parents to observe Fire Prevention Week not long ago.

They also made a resolution that as the High School had organized a Glee Club, that a club of a similar nature to be known as the Washington School Glee Club should be organized at Washington School at once. Mrs. George Pickett has volunteered to take personal charge of this club and to direct its performances. It was also decided that too much praise could not be given the directors of these Glee Clubs as the work they are doing is of a purely voluntary nature and of a most beneficial sort.

At the January meeting Mrs. Joseph Newell has volunteered to conduct a kindergarten hour for all the children that the parents should desire to bring with them to the meeting. This kindergarten class will be held out side if the weather permits and if the weather does not permit it will be held in the Lee School building. This will then enable parents having small children to attend the meetings and know that their children are well take care of.

An appeal is made to the parents, who have children in the Alexandria schools, to join the ranks of the Parent-Teachers' Association and to work with its members for the needed improvements. The next regular meeting will be held in January the date will be announced in the Gazette of a later date.

After the serving of refreshments the association adjourned until next month.

### VIVIANI DEPARTING, PREDICTS ANOTHER CONFERENCE IN YEAR

The Washington conference "is a brilliant success," M. Viviani, head of the French delegation said last night in a farewell conference with newspaper correspondents, in anticipation of his departure today for New York, where he will sail for Paris tomorrow.

"I am very glad that I have had a part in it," he added. "The large questions have either been settled, or are about to be. I suppose another conference will be held inside of a year."

M. Viviani plans to sign the four power Pacific treaty today, say farewell to President Harding, and depart for New York at 4 o'clock with Mme. Viviani and several members of the delegation's staff. M. Albert Sarraut, the French minister of the colonies who is an authority on Far Eastern questions, will succeed him as chief of the French delegation here Vice Admiral de Bon will assist M. Sarraut and Ambassador Jusserand in naval matters.


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## American Legion Auxiliary to Give Veterans Xmas Cheer

The American Legion Auxiliary of Virginia wishes to give to each disabled veteran in hospitals in Virginia some gift for Christmas. There are many more disabled veterans than the Auxiliary can possibly care for without assistance from sympathetic friends. To date there are 387 disabled veterans of the war in hospitals in this state.

Any individual or organization who wishes to donate funds with which to make possible a little Christmas cheer for our boys will please send their donations in funds to Mrs. C. M. Shepperson the local President of the American Legion Auxiliary.

We have only 38 active units in Virginia, and 387 men to care for to date, and more hospitals in this state are yet to be heard from.

May there be many who desire the privilege of communicating a little Christmas cheer to those for whom the war is not yet over. CARRY ON.

Dr. Kate Waller Barrett,
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294-6p. Department Secretary.

### SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to a judgment of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia entered on the 18th day of November, 1921, in a suit therein pending, wherein the Belle-Haven Garage is plaintiff, and William A. Neuland and others are defendants, I will offer for sale on the 22nd day of December, 1921, at 11.00 o'clock, A. M. in front of the Corporation Court, on Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, the full one half undivided interest of the said William A. Neuland in all that lot of ground No. 304 King street, bounded and described as follows:

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ROBERT H. COX,
Sergeant of the City of Alexandria, Va. 290-13c

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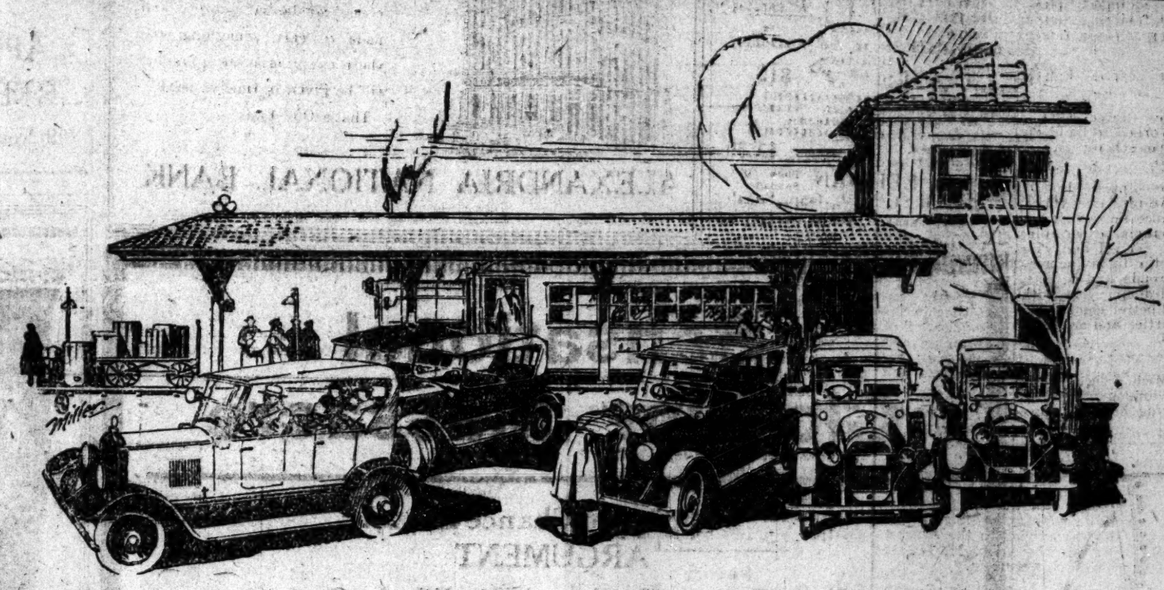

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## Letter To Editor

Virginia Highlands,
R. D. 2, Alexandria, Va.
December 7, 1921.

Editor, Alexandria "Gazette,"
Alexandria, Virginia.
Dear Sir:

I have been requested by the Virginia Highlands Citizens' Association to forward to you the attached summary of the action taken by that organization at its last meeting, December 5th, 1921, and to invite your particular attention to the paragraph referring to the resolution adopted by the Association expressing to you its appreciation of the cordial support you have given to the organization by your former publicity.

I am,
Very truly yours,
John J. Flaherty.

## GOOD WORK IN ARLINGTON COUNTY

The following are the leagues in Arlington County that reported to the Co-operative Education Association at the Virginia Education Association Conference.

Aurora Heights League—Installed electric light; entertainments; raised $179.20.

Ballston League—Surveyed grounds graded same and erected iron fence; special program every month; bought flags victrola base, athletic equipment; bought shoes for needy children; raised $195.70.

Barcroft League—Improved playgrounds; raised $457.87.

Carne League.

Cherrydale League—Purchased additional playground at cost of $7,900; filled in school ground at cost of $400; purchased athletic equipment; raised $1,855.42.

Clarendon League—Made school room improvements; bought victrola; payment on piano; tuned piano; cleared grounds; furnished additional playground equipment; baseball uniforms and telephones; electric lights, new globes for same; gas for cooking class, supplies for same; raised $579.00.

Columbia League—Ran community moving pictures; equipped playground; bought 100 folding chairs, provided for cooking school; raised $580.00.

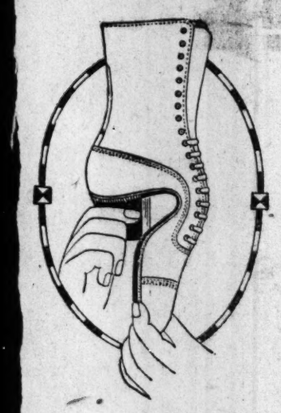
Ft. Myer Heights League—Raised $200.00.

Glencarlyn League—Raised $6.00.

Hume League—Worked to build up League and improve school; raised $50.00.

Saegmuller League—Improved playground; erected swings and volley ball courts; attendance improved; six medals awarded; purchased victrola, athletic equipment; cleaned and varnished desks; influential in having new furnace installed; roads and streets, also taxes discussed during year with supervisors; created better community spirit; held lawn parties and two suppers; raised $393.00.

Grand Rapids, Mich., claims the unique distinction among American cities of never having had a bank failure.



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## The Mysterious Mr. Sly Robs The Gazette Editor

I said I would steal something from the Gazette office between 10 a. m. and noon, and I did it right under the eyes of several people, said the mysterious Mr. Sly. Sorry Mr. Theodore Harris but I took a fancy to your fountain pen. Hope you don't accuse any one, especially the pretty little proofreader, with the gold-spun hair. I'd like very much to steal her. It's remarkable that no one has stolen her long before now. She would fit in nicely in any man's home. Think I'll send her a key to mine. I had a narrow escape Sunday afternoon from being caught. A tall blonde, not a drug store blonde, walked up to me with a Gazette in her hand and I wanted to run. The only time in my life I ever felt like running away from a good looking woman. As she said: You are the last man I ever expected to see Mr. ——— and she called me by name. For a moment I expected her to say: "You are the mysterious Mr. Sly advertising The Man's Store sale. I was ready to kiss the $5 gold piece a sad goodbye. She talked to me fully five minutes, but for the life of me I can not recall her name or where I met her. I sure have a bad memory. Tuesday afternoon I am going to steal a suit of clothes from The Man's Store at noon I am going to eat a chicken dinner at the Monticello Hotel and walk out with out paying for it. I've warned both of you so watch out for me.

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## VIRGINIA NEWS

Lexington.—At a meeting of the V. M. I., athletic council on Wednesday night, W. R. Harrison, of Boyce, Va. was unanimously elected to lead the flying squadron for the 1922 session, while M. Pettyjohn, of Lynchburg, was chosen as manager. Harrison, a 230-pound giant, has been playing for three years on the varsity, and this past season he was selected as an all-South Atlantic guard by all of the sporting editors and coaches in this district. He is a fighter, an experienced player and a natural born leader.

Petersburg—A compromise in the suit of the parents of little Louise Andrews against the Seaboard Air Line Railway for $25 000 damages as a result of a crossing accident here over a year ago, when the child was struck by a passenger train, was effected when the case came up for trial in the Hustings Court here today. The plaintiffs get $8,000 damages.

Petersburg—The 2 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E Baxter, of Dinwiddie Courthouse, who died at the Petersburg Hospital yesterday, was buried this aiternoon in the family burying ground. About two weeks ago the child was playing in the house about its mother, busy with her housework when it fell backward in to a tub of hot water. He was terribly scalded, and was brought to the hospital here.

Warsaw—Information reaching here this afternoon is to the effect that the postoffice building at Tappahannock was broken into at an early hour this morning and the safe blown open and stamps and currency amounting to $600 or more, taken.

Lynchburg—Dr. W. L. Williams, of Brookneal, this week slaughtered a hog of the Duroc breed which weighed, after being dressed, 670 pounds. The hog would have weighed about 800 pounds before killing.

Richmond—In its biennial report just filed the state highway commission recommends that it be empowered to enter into negotiations with the highway departments of one or more adjoining states with a view to havng these states associated in the joint ownership and operation of a Portland cement plant of sufficient capacity to supply the cement needs of the states composing the proposed association. The opinion is expressed that this arrangement would result in the savings of thousands of dollars to Virginia.

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia. A T. Peake and J. K. M. Norton trading as Belle Haven Garage vs. Yellow Bus Company, Inc. In Chancery.

Pursuant to and by the authority of a decree entered on the 8th. day of December, 1921, in a suit pending in the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, Wherein A. T. Peake and J. K. M. Norton trading as Belle Haven Garage, are complainants and the Yellow Bus Company, Inc., is defendent, the undersigned will expose for sale at public auction on Thursday December 15th, on the Premises of the Belle Haven Garage at the Corner of Prince and Fairfax Streets, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at noon, the following property of the Defendent Company.

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## QUANTICO NOTES

The football game held on Saturday, December 3rd, at Baltimore, between the Marines and the Third Army Corps Area was a classic from start to finish. There was nothing but fight in both teams from the time that the referee blew his first blast o the final scrimmage. The Army had a good team,—the Marines a better one, and the interest of the spectators never flagged for a moment. The score seems to belie this statement, for the doughboys stared at a grand total to 20 to 0, which leathernecks piled up with three touchdowns and two goals. The style of play that Lieutenant John Beckett used for his eleven was much the same as that used so successfully by Penn State this season ,and this is explained when it is known that Beckett and the coach of Penn State are both old University of Oregon stars.

The Marines left Quantico in two long trains early Saturday morning. The historic Fourth Brigade of Bois de Belleau renown were the first second train bore the Third Brigade troops to pull out of the station. The second train bore the Third Brigade and the aviators. A coach in rear of each section conveyed the officers and their families. Upon arrival at Baltimore, the entire command paraded, and the combined regimental bands and bugle corps totalling 180 men, alternated in supplying snappy music. It was a long march to the Johns Hopkins University field, but the "gang" was all there before the game began, and there was plenty of spirit to spare when the three uniformed cheer leaders sprang into action. One of the most original cheers was known as the "whiz-bang," the suggestion of Captain Louis E. Fagan, Morale officer of the post. It is the imitation of an Australian high explosive shell, as consists of a blood curdling "whizz" heard from an Allied audience, and followed immediately by a "bang" that makes one wish he were one of the home guard. Any real veteran of the front line trenches can tell you all about it. This particular imitation is screamed twice by the leathernecks, then comes QUAN-TI-CO,—LET'S GO!!! The result of all this was to spur the team on to the impossble, and the backfield looked like an all-American quartet in action They didn't stop wriggling until the Army sat upon them enmasse Practically all the football coaches of the big eastern teams were present, and their comments during the game were very flattering. Between halves, the Marines band headed for the Army grandstand and serenaded the Commanding General of the Third Army Corps Area with "Army Blue" a famous song known to all West Pointers. A cow, bearing the sign, "We will lick the Army, This is NO BULL" was paraded around the field by a cheer leader, and she balked right in front of the Army stand, causing great mirth from the 15,000 spectators who filled every available nch of space. It required the combined exertions of a group of forest-green heroes to get her started again.

..Major General John A. Lejune, Commandant of the Corps, and Brigadier General Smedley. D. Butler, commanding at Quantico, were as enthusiastic as the youngest Marine present, and ran up and down the side lines during the second half, squatting on their heels whenever the crowd behind them yelled "sit down." The writer has played football in years gone by on one of the leading university squads, and has seen many wonderful games, but he has never seen a cleaner, more desperately contested battle in his life than was waged last Saturday at Baltimore. The Army team was magnificent, the Marine team was immortal, ask anyone who saw the game. .....

..Thursday, December 8 will go down in the history of the Marine Corps as an anniversary. At 12.45 p. m. the Eagle Boat arrived at Quantico from Washington with a company of distinguished guests from many parts of the country, and the waiting automobiles conveyed them to the Hostess House, where luncheon was served for 175 persons. All officers of the post and their wives were present to welcome the prominent foreign officials and statesmen who had arrived, and the Post Orchestra, under the direction of Sergeant Manganaro, received warm applause for its excellently rendered programme The party then proceeded on foot to Post Headquarters for the unveiling of the monument in memory of the Marines of the Fourth Brigade who had given their lives in France. A representative of the French Embassy delivered the graciously replied to by Major Gen- address of presentation, which was eral John A. Lejune, commanding the Corps The ceremony was concluded by a review of the troops stationed at Quantico in mass formation.

The statue is very imposing, and is the work of a French sculptor, and is entitled, "Crusading for the Right." The figure is of heroic size, and is fashioned of bronze, representing a Marine in field uniform and steel helmet gazing defiantly off into space. On his back is a combat pack, and in his strong hands is his best friend—the rifle with fixed bayonet. Hanging from his shoulder is a bandolier of ammunition, ready to replace the clips from his cartridge belt. He is standing amidst ruins of stone. The base of the statue is made of concrete, and the whole is placed immediately in from of Post Headquarters. The site is ideally chosen. On three sides of the figures are bronze tablets commemorating 5th and 6th Regiments of Marine Infantry and the Sixth Machine Gun Battalion. Each of these units was awarded the Fourragere de la Croix de Guerre by the French Government for repeated gallantry in action,—a red and green cord that hangs from the left shoulder, and which is now a part of the uniform of those units, all three of which are at present stationed at this post. This honour was awarded to about twelve units of the entire American Exeditionary Force overseas.

It may be of interest to note that the Fourth Brigade of Marines served as one of the two infantry brigades of the celebrated Second Division in France. This divison was 27,400 strong and contained an Army artillery brigade in addition to the two infantry brigades. In it was also the famous Second Regiment of Army Engineers, whose personnel could handle a level, a shovel or a rifle with equal facility. There was also a battalion of signal troops who never failed and who could string wires amidst shell fire as well as in a quiet meadow. This Second Divison was used to crack hard nuts, and its units were termed "shock troops." It had quite a record, for it suffered the greatest number of battle casualties, captured more enemy guns and prisoners, and advanced further against organized resistance, than any other division of the American Army. During the last part of the war it was commanded by Major General Lejeune who has the genius of his French ancestry coupled with the sound training of the Naval Academy, small wars with the Marine Corps, and a course at the Army War College at Washington, where he was graduated with distinction. Lejeune was known to the Army as an expert in military affairs and a humane type, and when the War Department selected him to command a division overseas. it was because it was well understood that he could and would deliver the goods. He did that very thing. He is one of the most universally popular men in the service today, and the Marine Corps is proud of him.


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### NOTICE

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The first place visited was the Lafayette Hotel, which no one was permitted to leave while the raid was in progress. The manager and head waiter were arrested after the agents said they found two cases of champagne in the ice box and eleven bottles of wine in other parts of the house. Seven men dining in private rooms were served with summons.

Healy's the next place visited, also was surrounded and all exits guarded while the agents went through the premises. One bottle of champagne was found, agents said, adding that their arrival was heralded by a buzzer signal.

One bottle of whisky was confiscated at the Cafe de Paris which was filled with after-theater parties when the agents reached there. The manager, his assistant and five waiters were arrested.

Few patrons were in the Little Club when that place was reached, although the doorman and two waiters were arrested.

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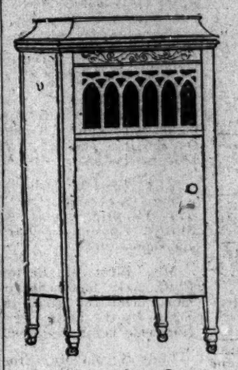
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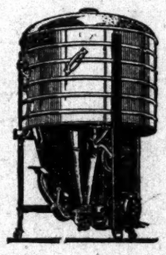
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| 3:27 a.m. | Memphis Special | 12:15 a.m. |
| *3:37 a.m. | Washington-Harrisonburg (Local) | 8:45 p.m. |
| 7:37 a.m. | Washington-Danville (Local) | 3:18 p.m. |
| 8:37a.m. | Washington-Danville (Express) | |
| 9:17 a.m. | New York-New Orleans | 10:42 p.m. |
| 9:22 a.m. | Washington-Harrisonburg (Local) | 9:13 p.m |
| 3.47 p.m. | Birmingham Special | 12:18 p.m. |
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| 4:22 p.m. | Wash'ton-Charlottesville (Local) | 10:58 a.m. |
| 5:22 p.m. | Washington-Warrenton (Local) | 7:55 a.m. |
| 7:17 p.m. | N. Y.-Augusta-Asheville | 7:13 a.m. |
| 10:07 p.m. | Washington-Atlanta | 7:23 a.m. |
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| South | | North |
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| | **New York-Jacksonville** | |
| 3:32 a. m. | (A. C. L.) | 11:30 p. m. |
| | **Washington-Richmond** | |
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| | **New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville** | |
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| | New York-Florida | |
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| | **Washington-Fredericksburg** | |
| k10.20 a. m. | ((Local) | 5.04 a. m. |
| | **Washington-Richmond** | |
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| | **Washington-Fredericksburg** | |
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| | **New York-Augusta-Florida** | |
| 3.32 p. m. | (A. C. L.) | 12.05 p. m. |
| | **Washington-Atlanta-Birmingham** | |
| 5.17 p. m. | (S. A. L.) | 11.55 a. m. |
| | **Washington-Richmond** | |
| **5.27 p. m.** | **(Local)** | ***5.52 p. m.** |
| | New York-Columbia | |
| 8:12 p. m. | (S. A. L.) | 7:18 a. m. |
| | **New York-Jacksonville-St. Petersburg** | |
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Mrs. Aubrey L. Eads, better known as Peggy Hoyt, is said to be the best dressed woman in New York.

Lady Byng, wife of the new governor general of Canada, is a talented writer and has published several books.

Mlle. Keiguaerts, who has been chosen to the office in a village near Ypres, is Belgium's first woman burgomaster.

Lady Stapleton, the wife of Lord Stapleton, is considered the most beautiful of the titled women of Great Britain.

Mrs. Harding, wife of the president is the possessor of a magnificent new seal coat, a present to her from the Masonic bodies of Missouri.

Miss Alice M. Robertson, the only woman representative in congress, was the first woman in the United States to be put in charge of a first-class post-office.

Miss Edith MacPatterson of Pine Bluff, Ark., has been proclaimed the most beautiful girl in the United States by the judges of the latest nation-wide beauty contest.

Lady Surma Mar Simoon, who has been chosen as the leader of the Assyrian nation, and the first woman president in the world, is a native Assyrian who received her education in France and England.

### NOTICE

The members of Alexandria Council No. 627 Royal Arcanum are urgently requested to be present Tuesday evening, December 13th at 8 o'clock, (Pythian Hall) special business, annual election of officers.

By order of the council,
JAMES R. MANSFIELD,

### AUCTION SALE

by

**Thomas L Carter, Auctioneer**

AUCTION SALE—Sale of a desirable house and lot in the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

By virtue of and pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust dated May 28th, 1918, executed by Charles H. Zimmerman to John D. Normoyle and P. M. Bradshaw, as Trustees, and of record in Deed Book 67 page 38 of the land records of Alexandria City, Virginia, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, at the written request and direction of the party thereby secured, the undersigned Trustees will offer for sale at public auction, in front of the Royal Street entrance to the market house, in Alexandria, Virginia, on

FRIDAY, December 30th, 1921, at 12 o'clock M, all that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon and the appurtenances to the same belonging, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the west side of Lee Street 102 feet 3 inches north of Jefferson Street, and running thence West parallel to Jefferson Street 123 feet 5 inches; thence North parallel to Lee Street 40 feet; thence east in a direct line 123 feet 5 inches to Lee Street and thence South on Lee Street 40 feet to the beginning being the same property which was conveyed to said Charles H. Zimmerman by George W. Rogers by deed dated May 28th 1918, and duly of record in the records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Conveyancing, including Revenue Stamps, at the cost of purchaser or purchasers.

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Leave Alexandria for Washington and intermediate stations: A. M., 5:00, 5:40, 6:00, 6:15, 6:30, 6:40, 6:45, 6:55, 7:00, 7:10, 7:17, 7:25, 7:35, 7:40, 7:42, 7:45, 7:50, 7:55, 8:00, 8:05, 8:10, 8:15, 8:20, 8:30, 8:45, 8:55, 9:10, 9:25, 9:40, 9:55, 10:10, 10:25, 10:40, 10:55, 11:10, 11:25, 11:40, 11:55—P. M., 12:10, 12:25, 12:40, 12:55, 1:10, 1:25, 1:40, 1:55, 2:10, 2:25, 2:40, 2:55, 3:10, 3:25, 3:40, 3:55, 4:10, 4:15, 4:23, 4:25, 4:35, 4:40, 4:45, 4.52, 4:55, 5:00, 5:05, 5:15, 5:20, 5:25, 5:30, 5:35, 5:40, 5:45, 5:55, 6:10, 6:25, 6:40, 7:00, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00, 8:20, 8:40, 9:00, 9:20, 9:40, 10:00, 10:20, 10:40, 10:55, 11:15, 11:40, 12:15.

Leave Mt. Vernon for Alexandria, Washington and intermediate stations: A. M., 6:15, 7:15, 8:30, 9:12, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00 noon; P. M., 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 6:00, 7:15, 8:15, 9:15, 10:15, 11:15, 12:20x.

Leave Alexandria for Mt. Vernon, daily except Sundays and holidays: A. M., 5:35, 6:45, 7:45, 8:49, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00 noon. P. M., 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 7:36, 8:36, 9:36, 10:36, 11:55.

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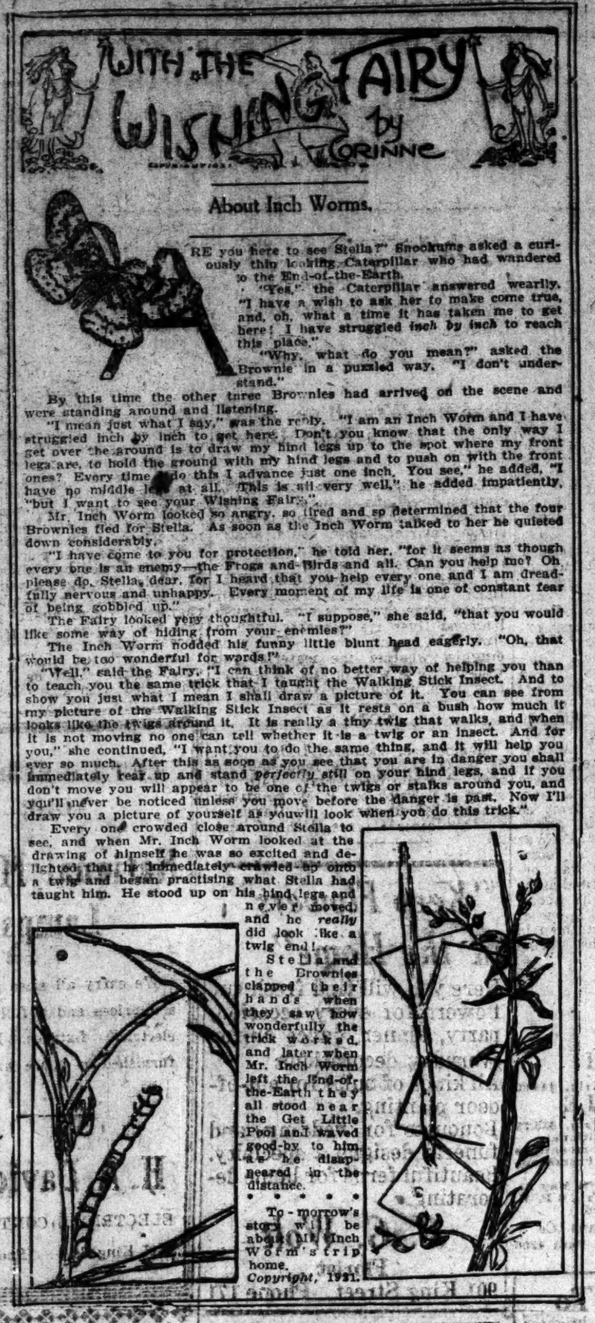


"ARE you here to see Stella?" Snookums asked a curiously shiny looking Caterpillar who had wandered to the End-of-the-Earth.

"Yes," the Caterpillar answered wearily. "I have a wish to ask her to make come true, and, oh, what a time it has taken me to get here! I have struggled *inch by inch* to reach this place."

"Why, what do you mean?" asked the Brownie in a puzzled way. "I don't understand."

By this time the other three Brownies had arrived on the scene and were standing around and listening.

"I mean just what I say," was the reply. "I am an Inch Worm and I have struggled inch by inch to get here. Don't you know that the only way I get over the around is to draw my hind legs up to the spot where my front legs are, to hold the ground with my hind legs and to push on with the front ones? Every time I do this I advance just one inch. You see," he added, "I have no middle legs at all. This is all very well," he added impatiently, "but I want to see your Wishing Fairy."

Mr. Inch Worm looked so angry, so tired and so determined that the four Brownies fled for Stella. As soon as the Inch Worm talked to her he quieted down considerably.

"I have come to you for protection," he told her, "for it seems as though every one is an enemy—the Frogs and Birds and all. Can you help me? Oh, please do, Stella, dear, for I heard that you help every one and I am dreadfully nervous and unhappy. Every moment of my life is one of constant fear of being gobbled up."

The Fairy looked very thoughtful. "I suppose," she said, "that you would like some way of hiding from your enemies?"

The Inch Worm nodded his funny little blunt head eagerly. "Oh, that would be too wonderful for words!"

"Well," said the Fairy, "I can think of no better way of helping you than to teach you the same trick that I taught the Walking Stick Insect. And to show you just what I mean I shall draw a picture of it. You can see from my picture of the Walking Stick Insect as it rests on a bush how much it looks like the twigs around it. It is really a tiny twig that walks, and when it is not moving no one can tell whether it is a twig or an insect. And for you," she continued, "I want you to do the same thing, and it will help you ever so much. After this as soon as you see that you are in danger you shall immediately rear up and stand *perfectly* still on your hind legs, and if you don't move you will appear to be one of the twigs or stalks around you, and you'll never be noticed unless you move before the danger is past. Now I'll draw you a picture of yourself as you will look when you do this trick."

Every one crowded close around Stella to see, and when Mr. Inch Worm looked at the drawing of himself he was so excited and delighted that he immediately crawled up onto a twig and began practising what Stella had taught him. He stood up on his hind legs and never moved, and he *really* did look like a twig end!



Stella and the Brownies clapped their hands when they saw how wonderfully the trick worked, and later when Mr. Inch Worm left the End-of-the-Earth they all stood near the Get Little Pool and waved good-by to him as he disappeared in the distance.

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To-morrow's story will be about Mr. Inch Worm's trip home.

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**THOMAS L. CARTER, Auctioneer**

**AUCTION SALE of a desirable dwelling house known as 905 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia.**

PURSUANT to the terms of a decree rendered by the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 3rd day of December, 1921, in the chancery cause of Frank M. Chauncey, Complainant, vs. Daisy C. Holly, et als., Defendants, therein depending, the undersigned, who by the terms of said decree was appointed a Special Commissioner for the purpose, will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises, at 12 o'clock Noon, on Monday, December 19, 1921, all that lot or parcel of ground in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, with the buildings and improvements thereon, known as 905 Duke Street, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the north side of Duke Street fifty-six feet two inches west of Alfred Street, and running thence west on Duke Street eighteen feet; thence north parallel with Alfred Street eighty-eight feet to an alley twenty feet wide; thence east parallel with Duke St., eighteen feet; and thence south in a direct line eighty-eight feet to the beginning, with the right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto, and with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining.

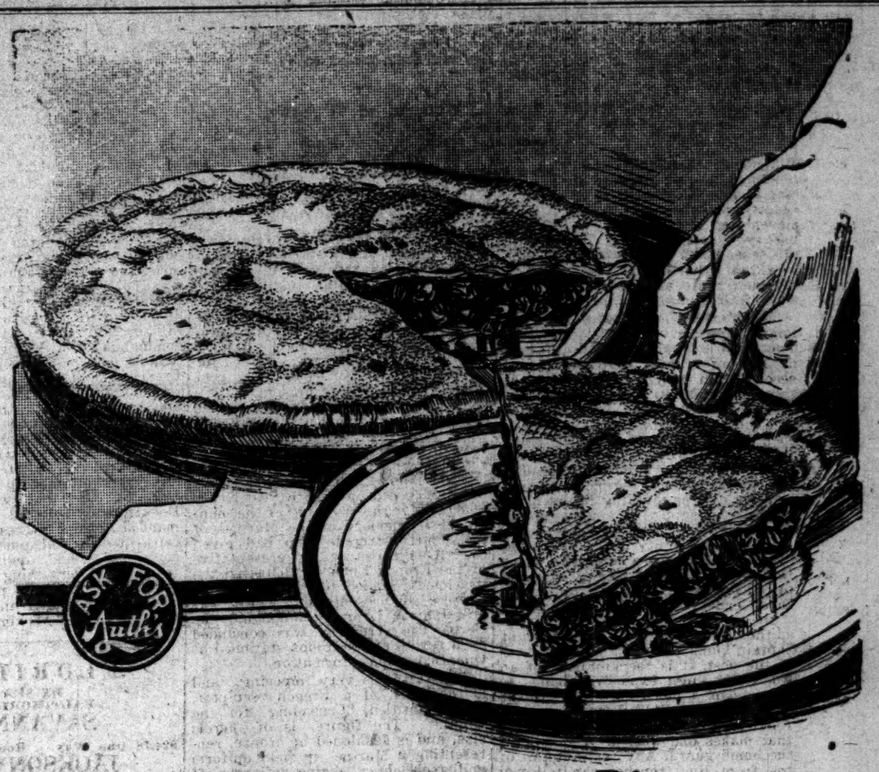
TERMS OF SALE: One half cash, and the balance in 6 and 12 months, the deferred payments to bear interest at six per cent per annum, and title to be retained until all of the purchase money is paid, or all cash at the option of the purchaser Expenses of conveyancing, including Revenue stamps, at the cost of the purchaser.

GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
Commissioner of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, do hereby certify that Gardner L. Boothe has given bond with approved security, in accordance with the provisions of the above mentioned decree.

Given under my hand this 5th day of December, 1921.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
289-11c Clerk.

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## LIVE NEWS
### from
ROSEMONT DEL RAY
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ST. ELMO.

Mrs. T. J. McDonald, of Del Ray, is visiting her mother, in Marshall Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Langley, of Hume Spring, announce the birth of a little daughter, Mary Hope, on the fifth day of December, 1921.

Mrs. Martha Adkins and Miss Mary Adkins, have returned home to St. Elmo, after a delightful visit of three weesk to relatives in Florida.

Katherine Crane, of Mt. Vernon Avenue, spent the week end in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Barnes, at Fort Myer.

Miss Isabelle Johnson, from Wallkill, N. Y. is the guest of Mrs. L. D. Christie, in Rosemont.

Mrs. William J. Cleveland entertained the Misses Eloise Monroe, of Rosemont, and Rosina Howell, from Alexandria, at her home on Seminary Hill last week end.

The "supper" which the Junior Auxiliary of the Theological Seminary held recently in the home of Mrs. Charles Hooff, on Seminary Hill, was well patronized, and proved to be a great success netting a very nice sum of money for auxiliary expenses. The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be at 3 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, in the home of Mrs. Charles Hooff.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Washington announce the birth of a fine son Thursday, the 8th instant, at their home in Braddock Heights.

Mrs. E. G. W. Keys, from Joplin, Va., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. L Cato on Braddock Avenue, St. Elmo.

Mr. W. W. Clements, of Mt. Ida, is at work again after being laid up for several days with an attack of pleurisy.

Mr. Earl Coffey, of Seminary, was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ponton, in Cottage Park, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Wells, of Oxford Avenue, Del Ray, announce the birth of a little daughter, Lucille Kathleen, on November the twentieth.

The Misses Effie and Nannie Butler, from Orange Va., were guests of their aunt, Mrs. J. W. Devers, in Del Ray, on Sunday, and are also visiting relatives in Alexandria.

Mrs. F. M. Dillard has returned to Braddock Heights, after a short visit in New York City.

Mrs. John Fendy and Mr. Lawrence Richmond, of Baltimore spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Richmond, on Seminary Hill.

Mrs. E. M. Byles, from Hampton, Va, was a week end guest of Mrs. V. C. Donaldson, on Seminary Hill.

Mr. John F. May of Seminary Hill, was the guest of friends in Norfolk over the week end.

The morning and evening church services were well attended Sunday in the Methodist Church of Del Ray. Rev. J. R. Wood, took Galatians 6:9 for the text of the morning, and Matthew 16:26 as the evening text.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Roberson, of Del Ray, announce the birth of a son on the 12th of this month, at the Hospital in Alexandria.

The "Yates Class" will meet tonight, Tuesday at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Thiele, in Mt. Ida. Every member of the class is especially urged to attend this meeting, as business of immediate importance will be presented for action.

The usual mid-week prayer service will be held in the two Del Ray Churches on Wednesday evening, beginning at 7:45 o'clock in the Baptist Church and at 7:30 in the Methodist.

A car on the track of the W. and O. D. Railroad struck and killed a cow belonging to an Italian family in St. Elmo yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Abramson have bought the home formerly owned by Mr . James F. Douglas, and last Tuesday moved from Washington with their family of two children and a cousin, Miss Rosie Broadus, into the house, number 105, Rucker Place Rosemont. Mrs. Abraham and Miss Broadus have many friends in Alexandria who will be glad to lear nof their return to Virginia.

Miss A. Williams, of Tennessee, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Yates, this week, in their home in Del Ray. Miss Williams is presenting a splendid set of books for helping anyone, however advanced or limited their education may be, to study and understand the Scriptures. During the week Miss Williams will doubtless visit many of the houses in the neighborhood in the interest of her work.

Mrs. Ella Miskimon, mother of Mr. T. Beale Miskimon in North Rosemont, died suddenly on the 9th instant in St. Joseph's Hospital in East Orange, N. J., as the result of a fractured hip which she sustained on the 8th day of November while walking near her home in East Orange. Mrs. Miskimon was a woman of great sweetness of character and had a number of frineds old and new who will remember her visit in Rosemont this summer, and regret this sudden ending of a life of Christian living. The burial was in the family lot at Harper's Ferry, Va., on Monday of this week.

The Ladies Aid of Del Ray Baptist Church invites the public to a "fancy work sale" which will be held in the home of Mr. A. V. Brooks, on Windsor Avenue, Del Ray, Thursday evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

The George Mason High School girls basket ball team, played the Alexandria Dardevils in one of the three games played at Armory Hall Alexandria, Saturday night, and won with a score of 11 to 4.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Feagan, of Bellefonte Avenue, Del Ray, suffered a serious accident Sunday afternoon while out driving in their buggy. Mr. Feagan had stopped his horse on the right side of the Washington road in order to allow several automobiles which were coming behind him, to pass before he should cross the road to turn off onto the road from Hume Spring. After one of the Blue Bus passenger cars passed him he attempted the crossing failing to see a large car just behind the bus and hidden by it. The car which was operated by Mr. Davis, of Alexandria struck Mr. Feagans buggy squarely between the left side wheels and dragging it across the road, the horse had broken loose, both Mr. and Mrs. Feagan were thrown out of the buggy, which was completely wrecked. Mr. Feagan speaks most appreciatively of Mr. Davis' courtesy in stopping his car at once and being the first to reach them, rendering every assistance possible and taking them back to Del Ray, where they received first aid treatment by Dr. R. J. Yates, in his office, then taking them home. Mr. Feagan received only minor cuts and bruises but his wife is suffering from an injury to her back, also from shock; she was sitting on the side of the buggy that was struck, and so received the most of the shock.

MILDRED L. EMERSON,
Gazette Correspondent.
PHONE 765-J-2.

## Some of the Stills taken in Recent Raids

*Courtesy of The Washington Post* *By Hugh Miller, Post Staff Photographer*

Alexandria police station will soon resemble a modern distillery. During the week just past 2,500 gallon s of mash, 125 gallons of whiskey and 11 stills have been seized in Fairfax county, and eight men have been placed under arrest. Left to right, Offic ers P. L. Magner, H. J. Durrer, of the motorcycle squad; J. J. Hudgins, Federal prohibition agent, and Constable F. J. Wease of Fairfax county.

## THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY

The young lady across the way says she saw in the paper that our football team went into the game without any alibis and it seems like a big risk to take but fortunately none of the regulars got hurt.


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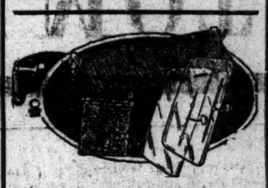

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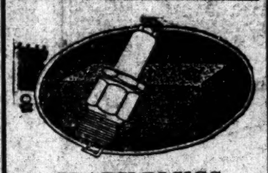

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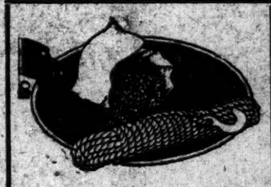

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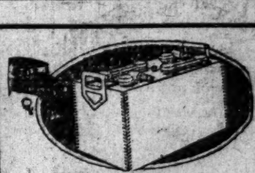

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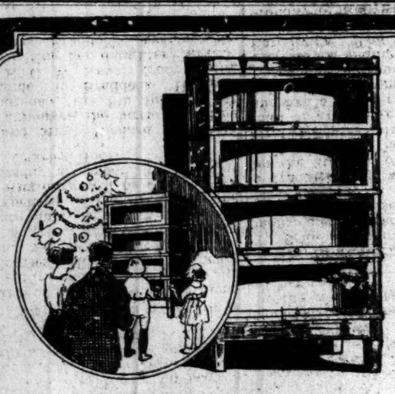

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